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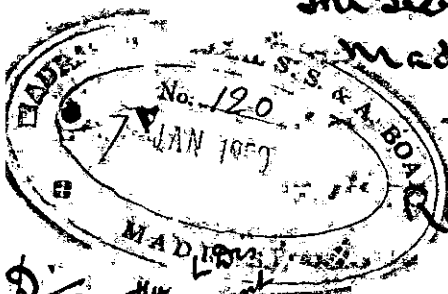

D.
Pl. put up the file in which the grant was made.
7/1/50

Submitted
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The Secretary
Madras Prov. S.S.I. Assn.
Madras

Representation of H. B
near Vadu Toll gate
Kondithamaty
Mangalore

Respected Sir

I beg to submit the following facts as I am interested that monies from the madras benevolent funds must be granted only to those ex-servicemen and widow dameses who deserve them and not to the undeserving people who have got ample money. Therefore I have to write these lines for favour of enquiry and to do the needful.

One Mrs. Josephine was widow of A. Wilfred who as my recommendation is receiving a grant of 20 rupees p.m from the Benevolent fund from the last several months. She is a school teacher and at present teaches in free labourers p.E Board school at Kirem [illegible]

is a municipal Primary School and she receives a Salary of more than 60 rupees P.M. Besides she gives 60/-
private tuitions to Students at their homes at their time and earns about
~~40 rupees p.m.~~ Also local Societies 40/-
such as "Vincent de paul Society" etc
monetarily help her because she pretends to have no money. She left her husband Alexius Vaz when they were living at Bombay several years ago and came home. In spite of repeated requests from her husband to come live with him she denied him. Whenever he stopped money to her. But she fought with the military officers who were his immediate superiors, and compelled them to make some allotment of 40 rupees per month. She lives with the money receiving this Family allotment which he was alive but without his appreciation. At last he got so much miserable due to this separation that he became a victim of excessive drinks for several years and at last he came home and drowned himself in a well and died. [illegible] mischievous wicked lady is unbearable to him and misusing unlimited [illegible]

Urgent

10.1.50.

N.Ref 120/50

Forwarded to the Secretary D.S.S.A.Bd S. Kamara for urgent remarks.

He is requested to investigate into the matter and report within a week.

B/P. Case will enquire 13/1/50

For

Secretary 10.1.50

M.P.S.S.A.Board Madras.6.

To

The Secretary 9/1 9/1/50.

D.S.S.A.Bd – S. Kamara.

N.Dis. 116/50

Office of the District Sailors'Soldiers'& Airmens' Board, South Kanara, Mangalore, Dated 21-1-1950.

120/50

MADRAS PROVINCIAL S. S. & A. B. No. 317 23 JAN 1950 MADRAS

To:-

The Secretary,
Madras Provincial Sailors',Soldiers'& Airmens' Board,
1/6 Nangambakkam High Road, Madras.

Sir,

sub:- FINANCIAL AID- MRS JOSEPHIN VAZ.

Ref:- Your N.Ref. 120/50 dated 10-1-1950 received in this office on 17-1-1950.

P.S.C.F

1) I have personnaly investigated into the matter and I still feel that this is a genuine case and recommend that the grant may be continued.

2) The said Mrs Josephin Vaz is the widow of late Ex-Subedar John Aloysius Vaz(No.42627) who served in the I.A.C.C, Dagshahi for nearly 11 years. Her family pension claim was rejected even after the appeal since her husband committed suicide by drowning himself in a well. Records available in this office verified by the previous welfare officer go to show that her husband was absent without leave from his unit and when the police came to arrest him he managed to slip in from their custody and committed suicide.

Case known as leave and

3) Her case for an Extra-ordinary pension has already been recommended by me which is pending with the Commandnat IACC, Dagshahi.

4) True she is a higher elementaray trained teacher working in Vidhyabodhini Aided Higher Elementary School. She receives a salary of Rs.30/- and Rs.19/- D.A per mensum. She is a permanent teacher there from 26-2-44.

5) My enquiry also goes to show that she does not give private tutions to students nor does she receive any other financial aid from the local societies. She has three children- one aged 17 years studying in III form and a girl aged 15 years studying in V form and a small boy aged 4½ years. She has to meet Rs.4/- p.m towards the fee of her son reading in III form since he failed this year. The girl reading V form receives Educational Concession.

Considering the above circumstances of the widow and having regard to the 11 years service put in by the V.C.O, I recommend that her allowance may be continued.

Secretary.
21-1-1950.

Enc:-2
DSN.

No. Rc. 120/50-D

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Memo.

Sub:- M.P.N.B. — grant in respect of Mrs. Josephine Vaz — irregularities — further report — called for.

Ref:- Correspondence resting with N'Dis. 116/50 dt 21.1.50 from the Secy., DSSdtBdd., S. Kanara.

p. 7 cf.

The Secy's report in para. 4 of his letter cited above to the effect that the grantee is a permanent teacher from 26.2.44 is quite inconsistent with his earlier report in the proforma No. L Dis 447/49 dt 24.2.49 to the effect that she was earning "N I L." It is not understood why he still recommends continuance of the grant @ the same rate of Rs 20/- p.m. even though he definitely states that she is earning Rs 49/- p.m. as a teacher. The Secy. has evidently not made any proper enquiries on the last occasion when he recommended for a grant of Rs 20/- p.m. He shd. have bestowed greater care and attention to ascertain the actual financial circumstances of the applicant before making the recommendation. Even now he has apparently exercised any judiciousness ~~but has~~ made a ~~very~~ hasty recommendation. He is requested to explain why he recommended the.

the last application without making full and proper enquiries and why he now recommends the continuance of the grant in Spite of the grantee's employment as a teacher on Rs 49/- p.m.

O/C 23.2.50
Secy

To
The Secy, DSSHABD.
Sirsi Kanara,
Mangalore

21.2.50
DESPATCHED
28 FEB 1950

Reminder on 15-3-50.

L.Dis. 475/50

Office of the Dt. Sailors'Soldiers'& Airmens' Board, South Kanara, Mangalore, Dated 13-3-1950.

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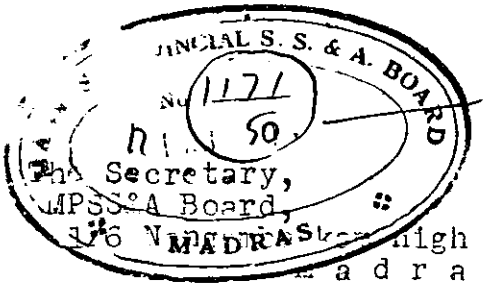

120/50.

To:-

The Secretary,
MPSS&A Board,
176 Vannarpet High Road,
M a d r a s.

S i r,

sub:- M.P.M.B- Grant in respect of Mrs Josephine Vaz- report submitted.

D p.74

Ref:- Your No. Rc.120/50-D dated 23-2-1950.

It is true that the facts of financial position in respect of Mrs Josephine Vaz was not personally inquired into when I made the recommendation on 24-2-49. It would appear that these facts were taken into consideration when the previous Secretary made a similar recommendation on 25-2-48 when it was known to him that she was working as a teacher. Hence I had also recommended the case for renewal. On receipt of your letter No. N.Ref.120/50 dated 2-1-1950 I personally went to her school and saw the records relating to her service.

In recommending this case I had given special consideration to her husband's rank in the Army, the long service which he had rendered, the circumstances under which he died which is a tragic death and the rejection of her claim for family pension even after her appeal by the pension sanctioning authorities. I have also taken into consideration her bare necessities and her total monthly expenditure which comes to nearly Rs.80=0=0(Rupees eighty) p.m. She is also giving education to her children which fact was mentioned previously. This is all I have to submit in recommending her case and I feel this is a genuine case

As reported previously I have strongly recommended her case for ex-traordinary pension which is at present under the consideration of the Government of India, Ministry of Defence (Pensions Branch) at Delhi.

S e c r e t a r y.
13-3-1950.

DoN

No 120/50.

Sabroilles

P.I.C.f | Letter from Sri A. Britto; near Kadri Toll gate, Kankanady P.o. Mangalore — Nil —

The letter shows that Josephine Aroz w/o. John Aloysius Aroz Ex. I.O. 42627 - is not eligible for H.R.H.B Rent or any other Rent as she is employed as a Teacher in Municipal Elementary School

P.7. flag (A) Rs 20/ was renewed w.e.f. April 49. The proforma shows

P.1. flag (A) that the grantee was not earning anything at that time

P.1.C.f. The above letter may be forwarded in N Reg to the Secy. DSS Advt S. Kanara, Mangalore for urgent Remarks. In the mean while the grant may be withheld for orders.

(X)

7/1

(1) The N Reg endt. may please be signed.
(2) Forwarded on "X" above

8.1.50.

1 & 2 — Approved.

10.1.50

(P.T.O.)

Letter No N.Dis 116/50 dt 21.1.50 from Secy. S.Kanara — P.T.C.F

.. The Secy admits that the grantee is a permanent teacher from 26-2-1944, getting ~~basic salary of~~ total emoluments Rs 49 (30+19) per month. He stated in the proforma that the earnings of the applicant as Nil. Para 4 P.T.C.F. | P.I. of Flag (A)

The Secy recommends to continue the grant already sanctioned

Submitted for orders.

CB 25/1

Para 4 of p. T.C.F. shows that the grantee is a permanent teacher from 26.2.44. But "nil" earning was shown in the last proforma Col 10 at p. 1 of Flag A.. The same nil earning was shown in an earlier proforma for grant from Mar. 48 to Feb. 49. | (L. 2009 not put up)

It was this same Officer who submitted the last proforma on 24.2.49 at p. 1 of Flag A. He now recommends the continuance of the grant

HS. 26.1.50.

In the last application dt. 24.2.1949 the appl's 'earning' is shown as Nil

against item 10 of the proforma. Perhaps in view of this fact the Secy Item recommended a grant of Rs 20/-. I do not understand why he shld recommend a renewal of the grant at the same rate ~~as before~~ even though he definitely states that she is earning Rs. 49/- as a Teacher from 26.2.4[illegible]. The Secy has evidently not made any proper enquiries ~~then~~ on the ~~first~~ occasion when he recommended the applt's application for a grant of Rs 20/- pm. He should have bestowed greater care and attention to ascertain the actual financial circumstances of the applt. before making his recommendation. Even now he has not exercised any judicious care. He has made a very hasty recommendation. He should put up a prop-

asking him to explain why he recommended
the last application without making full
& proper enquiries & why he now recommends
the renewal of the same grant in spite of
the fact that the applt. is employed as a
Teacher on Rs. 30/- pay + Rs 19/- D.A. p.m.

NO.
30.1.50.

Draft not put up by W. So far
Wg
24/2/50

A draft Memo. is put up for approval.

Wg.
21.2.50.

Issue draft.

The delay in putting up this draft is intolerable. Get the Clerk's explanation.

NO.
23.2.50

D
Pl. explain
Wg
27/2

The ex-clerk has resigned and gone and hence no explan. could be obtained.

p.9c.f.11 Reply from the secretary, D.S.S & A. Board, S. Kanara is received.. (15)

Put up to H.C. for noting

8/4/50

Para. 2 of the Secy.'s letter may be perused. The Secy. states he recommended the case as the widow's monthly expenditure came to about Rs 80/-. She has 3 dependants. The Secy. still feels this is a genuine case.

The grant was @ Rs 20/- p.m. from Apr. '49 to Mar. '50. The monthly payment has been withheld from Jan. '50 due to the complaint at pp. 1 and 2 C.F.

Submitted for orders whether the stoppage of the grant may stand. In that case the Current may be lodged. (1 Dis).

2/4/50.

The grant is stopped, and do not think that this is a deserving case.

6.4.50